



CITY OF

Federal Way



Recycling Options

Local recycling options for a variety of items such as TVs, toilets, paint and much more!

Great job
Federal Way on
recycling over
34 million pounds
of materials
last year!

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Contact Information

Waste Management

Curbside garbage, recycling and yard debris service
800.592.9995 (M–F 7AM–5PM)
wmnorthwest.com/fedway

King County Transfer Stations

Facilities for disposing of garbage for a fee.
206.296.4466
kingcounty.gov/solidwaste

City of Federal Way Recycling

Public Works Department
Solid Waste and Recycling Division
33325 8th Ave S, Federal Way, WA 98003

For assistance with recycling and composting contact:
Jeanette Brizendine, Recycling Project Manager
253.835.2771 • recycle@cityoffederalway.com
cityoffederalway.com/recycling

TVs & Computers*

Recycling for TVs, monitors, computers and laptops is available at no cost. Computer peripherals such as keyboards, mice and printers may not be accepted. Visit ecyclewashington.org for more details.

Deseret Industries

2200 S 320th St, Ste 1A, Federal Way
253.839.9045

Goodwill

32521 Pacific Hwy S, Federal Way
253.573.1333

PC Recycle

29100 Pacific Hwy S, Federal Way
253.839.9377

Fluorescent Tubes & Bulbs*

Compact fluorescent lights and tubes can be recycled at a variety of locations. Visit pse.com/cflrecycle or takeitbacknetwork.org for locations, fees and details. Items are also accepted at the Auburn SuperMall Wastemobile (see page 2 for details).

Rechargeable Batteries & Cell Phones*

Rechargeable batteries and cell phones can be recycled at a variety of electronic, office supply and building supply stores. Visit call2recycle.org for locations and details.

Yard Debris*

Year-round or occasional curbside yard debris collection is available for a fee. Contact Waste Management at 800.592.9995 or wmnorthwest.com/fedway to sign up. Before hauling, call ahead for fees and restrictions.

Land Recovery Inc.

10308 Sales Rd, Tacoma
253.589.6993
lrandfill.com

Lloyd Enterprises

80 5th Ave, Milton
253.874.6692
lloydenterprisesinc.com

Recovery One

1630 E 18th St, Tacoma
253.627.1180
recovery1.com

Waste Management

32300 148th Ave SE, Auburn
253.333.6565

Building and Remodeling Materials

Reusable building materials such as cabinets, doors, floor coverings, hardware and fixtures, paint, plumbing and pipe, roofing, siding and windows can be donated. Call ahead for hours and restrictions.

Habitat for Humanity ReStore

505 Puyallup Ave, Tacoma
253.779.8149

tpc-habitat.org

ReHarvest Center

1113 St Paul Ave, Tacoma
253.531.5845

ReHarvest Center at City of Tacoma Landfill

3510 S Mullen St, Tacoma
253.591.5418

cityoftacoma.org

Check out King County's Eco-Cool Remodel Tool at ecocoolremodel.com to learn ways to green up your next home remodeling project.

Porcelain, Concrete & Brick

Concrete, brick and asphalt can be recycled for a fee. Call ahead for fees and restrictions.

A Plus Recycling *(porcelain only)*

116 Clay St NW #B1, Auburn
253.737.4441

Lloyd Enterprises *(no porcelain)*

80 5th Ave, Milton
253.874.6992

lloydenterprisesinc.com

Renton Concrete Recyclers

500 Monster Rd SW, Renton
206.772.2278

rentonconcreterecyclers.com

Stoneway Concrete

510 Monster Rd SW, Renton
425.226.1000

Used Motor Oil*

Used motor oil can be recycled at your curb or at most auto parts stores.

Curbside: Place oil in sealed gallon jugs with your name and address on your recycling day (limit 3 gallons per pickup).

Stores: Most auto part stores will accept used motor oil for recycling. Call ahead for quantities and restrictions.

Automotive Batteries*

Automotive and boat batteries can be recycled for free at most auto parts stores. Call ahead for quantities and restrictions.

Oil-Based Paint, Chemicals & Pesticides*

The Auburn SuperMall Wastemobile and other hazardous waste sites accept a variety of hazardous materials including oil-based paint, chemicals, cleaners, pesticides and insecticides (see below for details).

Latex Paint

Latex is not accepted at the household hazardous waste facilities. It can now be put in the garbage, as long as it is dried up or solidified. Mix paint with equal parts cat litter, shredded paper, sawdust or commercial paint hardener. After solidified, place in garbage with lid off.

Needles & Sharps*

Used needles and sharps are dangerous in garbage because they can injure sorters and spread diseases. Mail in programs are available: Search online for "sharps mail in programs".

Medication

Return your unwanted medication to keep your home and environment safer. Visit takebackyourmeds.com for locations and details on the types of medication accepted.

Group Health Pharmacy

301 S 320th St
Federal Way
253.874.7000

***Items banned from disposal—cannot be thrown away in garbage.**

This partial list does not constitute an endorsement of any particular service or business. Exclusion from this list is no comment on suitability of any other vendors.

Auburn SuperMall Wastemobile

Schedule:

1st & 3rd full weekends of each month

Hours:

Friday–Sunday • 10am–5pm

Location:

Northwest loading dock (near Sports Authority)
Auburn SuperMall (1101 SuperMall Way, Auburn)

Accepted for Free:

Oil-based paint, cleaners, pesticides, propane tanks, fluorescent tubes/bulbs, motor oil, gasoline & antifreeze

NOT Accepted:

Latex paint, empty containers, electronics, explosives, medicine & garbage

More Information and Quantity Restrictions:

lhwmp.org • 206.296.4692

Paper, Plastic, Glass & Metal

Recycling is available to all Federal Way residents with garbage service. For a recycling collection calendar and/or recycling guidelines, contact the City of Federal Way at 253.835.2771 or recycle@cityoffederalway.com.

Traditional curbside recyclable items can also be taken to a local recycler at no charge. Call ahead for hours and restrictions.

A Plus Recycling *(no glass or plastic)*

116 Clay St NW, Auburn
253.737.4441

JMK Recycling

1440 Port of Tacoma Way, Tacoma
253.272.6208

Valley Recycling *(no glass)*

411 W Valley Hwy, Pacific
253.833.5431

Confidential Documents

Free community shred events help keep your personal information safe, plus the paper is then recycled. For dates and locations, visit atg.wa.gov/shredathon.aspx/. Confidential documents may also be taken to the location below:

Tacoma Recycling

(Under 10 lbs free)
2318 S Tacoma Way, Tacoma
253.474.9559

Packing Materials

Most mailing and shipping stores (such as the UPS stores) accept clean packing peanuts for reuse. Call ahead for quantities and restrictions.

Styrofoam Blocks

White Styrofoam blocks accepted at no charge.

V&G Styro Recycle

800 SW 43rd St, Renton (West side of IKEA)
253.838.9555
styrorecycle.com

Plastic Bags

Clean plastic bags, dry cleaning bags and other types of film plastic can be recycled at most grocery stores. Visit plasticbagrecycling.org for a list of locations and additional types of film plastic accepted.

Holiday Trees

Holiday trees are collected from all households at no cost after the holidays. Property managers of multi-family complexes need to call Waste Management at 800.592.9995 to order the free service. Visit cityoffederalway.com/recycling in either December or January for details.

RECYCLING INFORMATION

The City of Federal Way contracts with Waste Management for curbside collection of garbage, recycling and yard waste. Contact 800.592.9995 or wmnorthwest.com/fedway to start, cancel or change your service.

Food Scrap Recycling

Food scraps and food-soiled paper can be placed in your yard waste cart and recycled into compost. Wrap food scraps in newspaper or place in a paper sack to reduce mess and keep your cart clean.

For more information on food scrap recycling, including what type of items are accepted, contact the City of Federal Way at 253.835.2771 or recycle@cityoffederalway.com.

Compost Container Sale

Make composting at home easier

The City of Federal Way offers discounts on compost bins, worm bins and food scrap collection containers. Coupons and "how-to" guides are available at retail locations.

Oriental Garden Center

30650 Pacific Hwy S, Federal Way
253.839.1639

Northshore Ace Hardware

35419 21st Ave SW, Federal Way
253.835.5052

Stay Informed

Sign up for email notifications of recycling events, hazardous waste collection and other important information: cityoffederalway.com/subscribe.

Special Recycling Events

The City of Federal Way sponsors recycling events for residents to recycle a wide range of materials such as appliances, wood, stumps, mattresses, Styrofoam, fluorescent tubes, electronics, tires, batteries and rigid plastic. 2011 events are scheduled for Saturdays, March 19 and September 17. Visit cityoffederalway.com/recycling for details.

Multi-Family Complex Recycling

Recycling collection service and educational materials are provided at no additional charge to all multi-family complexes. Contact the City of Federal Way at 253.835.2771 or recycle@federalway.com.

Free Recycling at Work

2 free recycling carts and interior containers are available to every Federal Way business. Contact the City of Federal Way at 253.835.2770 or recycle@cityoffederalway.com.

Clothing & Household Goods

Second hand stores and clothing banks will accept clothing and household goods in reusable condition. There are also numerous donation boxes located throughout the City.

Online Materials Exchange

Reusable household items can be sold or given away. Post an ad online for free:

- King County Online Item Exchange:
www.kingcounty.gov/solidwaste/exchange
- The Freecycle Network:
freecycle.org
- Craigslist: seattle.craigslist.org
- 2Good2Toss: 2good2toss.com
- Industrial Materials Exchange:
lhwp.org

Curbside Recycling and Residential Garbage Collection

Garbage and Yard/Food Waste rates vary by cart size (the smaller the container, the lower the rate). **Reducing garbage = saving money!**

How? Follow these tips:

- Make sure to put all your clean recyclable items (cans, glass, paper, cardboard and more) in your **BLUE** cart. There is no charge for extra recycling set-outs. Use a cardboard box or durable containers marked "recycling" (32-gallon size limit) if you run out of room in your cart.
- If you need more volume, upgrade to a 96-gallon recycling cart at no cost.
- Use your **GREY** Yard/Food Waste cart for food scraps and food-soiled paper—this service costs much less than paying to bury wastes as 'garbage'. Once you get the hang of it, shrink your **GREEN** garbage container.
- Practice 'Pre-cycling'—before you buy, think:
 - Can this—or its package—be recycled?
 - Can I buy this in a way that means less garbage—for example, in bulk at a lower cost?
 - Can I choose a durable or reusable item instead of a disposable one?
- Waste Management provides all container sizes except for 32-gallon cans, which customers must purchase and maintain.
- 32-gallon can customers should consider making the switch to a garbage cart – it's easy to roll to the curb, plus you'll never lose a lid again.

Contact Waste Management today at 800.592.9995 and right-size your garbage service!

Appliances*

Household appliances such as refrigerators, freezers, stoves, hot water heaters, washers and dryers can be reused or recycled. Some businesses also accept dishwashers and microwaves. Call ahead for fees and restrictions.

A Plus Recycling

116 Clay St NW #B1, Auburn
253.737.4441

Jaco Environmental

Pick up only
800.414.5072
jacoinc.net

Schnitzer Steel

1902 Marine View Dr, Tacoma
253.572.4000
schnitzersteel.com

Valley Recycling

312 W Valley Hwy S, Pacific
253.833.5431
rustyrackguys.com

Waste Management

Pick up only
800.592.9995
wmnorthwest.com/fedway

Other Resources

"What Do I Do With...?"

Comprehensive local recycling database
206.296.4466
kingcounty.gov/whatdoidowith

Washington State Recycling Database

1.800.RECYCLE (732.9253)
1800recycle.wa.gov

Household Hazards Line

Assistance with reducing and disposing of household hazardous waste
206.296.4692
lhwp.org

Illegal Dumping Hotline

Report litter and illegal dumping
206.296.SITE (7483)
kingcounty.gov/dumping

Spill Hotline

Report spills, accidental discharges or illicit connections to our storm water system
253.835.2700
cityoffederalway.com/swm

Alternate formats available upon request:
253.835.2771 • TTY Relay: 711